Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 24 Aug 2022 until 23:59 on Thursday 25 Aug 2022

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 23 Aug 2022 at 13:45 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Generally high confidence but some uncertainty on location of heaviest rain.

Headline for Wednesday 24 Aug 2022: Early rain clearing to leave a largely dry and sunny day.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 24 Aug 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
30%	60%	80%	40%	10%	10%	10%	10%

Forecast for Wednesday 24 Aug 2022

Weather: Bands of rain will push up from the southwest overnight giving some heavy bursts at times. This will clear during the first part of the morning to leave increasingly sunny conditions through the rest of the day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% at first, increasing to 80% by mid-morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Low cloud, bases 200-400m, in association with the bands of rain, this soon clearing behind. Generally good visibility but moderate in rain.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	16/21 S	19/23 S	21/26 S	19/25 SW	19/25 SW	22/31 SW	23/31 SW	31/41 SW	29/39 SW
900	11/16 S	14/18 S	14/20 S	15/21 SW	15/22 SW	18/27 SW	18/26 SW	21/30 SW	20/30 SW
600	4/10 SW	7/14 S	8/16 S	11/19 SW	10/18 SW	13/25 SW	14/25 SW	14/28 SW	12/25 SW
300	1/3 SW	3/7 SE	4/11 S	6/13 SW	7/15 SW	11/21 SW	9/19 SW	7/19 SW	6/14 SW
Glen	2/4 S	3/6 SE	4/12 SW	8/16 S	9/18 SW	11/21 SW	11/22 SW	9/19 SW	7/15 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	9/6	8/5	8/4	8/5	9/6	9/6	8/3	6/1	5/-1
900	11/9	10/8	10/7	10/8	11/8	12/8	10/7	8/4	7/2
600	12/12	12/11	12/11	13/11	14/12	15/12	13/10	10/8	9/6
300	13/13	13/13	13/13	15/15	17/16	18/16	16/14	13/11	11/10
Glen	13/13	14/14	14/14	16/15	19/17	19/16	17/14	14/12	12/11
Freezing Level*	2900m	3000m	2900m	2800m	2100m	1900m	1900m	2000m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing to add.

Forecast for Thursday 25 Aug 2022
Weather: Largely dry with sunny spells, however there is the chance of some scattered showers early afternoon in the west towards Meall Bhuidhe.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 10-15 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Generally 90% but 40% in association with showers.

Low Cloud and visibility: Cloud bases 600-700m in association with showers. Good visibility but moderate in showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 7 Celsius rising to plus 20 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 5 Celsius rising to plus 13 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits.

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